

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Brian Maiorella et al.
Serial No.: Unassigned Group: Unassigned
Filed: EVEN DATE Examiner: Unassigned
Title: METHOD OF INCREASING PRODUCT EXPRESSION THROUGH
SOLUTE STRESS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231-0001

Sir:

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments

In the Claims

Please delete claims 7-38.

REMARKS

Applicants request consideration of the application in view of the above amendments.
Claims 7-38 have been cancelled. No new matter has been added.

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